

# Hongkong Telegraph

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## Banks.

THE MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED.  
AUTHORISED CAPITAL £1,500,000  
SUBSCRIBED £1,185,000

BANKERS:  
LONDON JOINT STOCK BANK, LIMITED.  
INTEREST ALLOWED ON CURRENT ACCOUNTS at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the Daily Balance.

ON FIXED DEPOSITS:—  
For 12 Months.....5 per cent.  
" 6 ".....4 " "  
" 3 ".....3 " "  
JOHN THURBURN,  
Manager, Hongkong.  
Hongkong, 4th February, 1894. [30]

THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA, LIMITED.

Authorized Capital.....£1,000,000  
Subscribed Capital.....£500,000

HEAD OFFICE:—HONGKONG.

Court of Directors:—  
D. Gillies, Esq. Chow Tung Shing, Esq.  
Chan Kit Shan, Esq. Kwan Hoi Chuen, Esq.  
H. Stollerfoht, Esq. Chief Manager,  
GEO. W. F. PLAYFAIR.

Branches:—London, Yokohama, Shanghai and Amoy.

BANKERS:—

The Commercial Bank of Scotland.  
Paris Banking Co., and The Alliance Bank (Ltd.)

Interest for 12 months Fixed, 5 per cent.  
Hongkong, 16th November, 1893. [7]

THE BANK OF CHINA, JAPAN, AND THE STRAITS, LIMITED.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL.....£2,000,000  
CAPITAL PAID-UP.....£251,093.15.0

BANKERS:

CAPITAL & COUNTIES BANK, LIMITED.

HEAD OFFICE:—

No. 3, PRINCE'S STREET, LONDON.

BRANCHES:—

BOMBAY, CALCUTTA, HONGKONG, AND SHANGHAI.

AGENCIES:—

PENANG, SINGAPORE AND YOKOHAMA.

RATES OF INTEREST.

ALLOWED ON CURRENT ACCOUNTS and Fixed Deposits can be ascertained on application.

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

CHANTREY INCHEBALD,  
Manager.  
Hongkong, 6th November, 1893. [21]

Amusements.

LIVING CHESS TOURNAMENT.

IN AID OF

UNION CHURCH ORGAN RESTORATION FUND.

Under the Patronage of

H.E. Sir WILLIAM ROBINSON and Lady ROBINSON.

H.E. Major-General DIBBY BARKER and Mrs. BARKER.

Sir FREDERICK CLARKE and Lady CLARKE, Comodore BOYES and Mrs. BOYES.

A LIVING CHESS TOURNAMENT, will be held on the

TENNIS LAWN at EAST POINT, (Kindly lent by the Hon. J. J. KIRKWOOD),

ON SATURDAY AFTERNOON, March 31st.

By courtesy of Lt.-Col. ROBINSON and Officers of the Band of the Shropshire Light Infantry will attend.

Admission 1s., Children half-price.

Tickets may be obtained at Messrs. KELLY & WALSH, LA. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., and W. POWELL & Co.

Hongkong, 6th March, 1894. [318]

Auctions.

AUCTION SALE

OF

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND EFFECTS.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to sell by

PUBLIC AUCTION, ON

TUESDAY next, March 13th, 1894, AT 2.30 P.M. prompt,

AT THEIR SALE ROOMS, 17, PRAYA CENTRAL. (Removed from 1, FAIR VIEW, KOWLOON, for Convenience of Sale).

THE WHOLE OF THE

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND EFFECTS,

Consisting of:—

HALL, DRAWING-ROOM, DINING-ROOM & BED-ROOM FURNITURE, SIDE-BOARDS, OVERMANTELS, EXTENSION DINING TABLE, DRESSING TABLES, FANCY TABLES, CABINET, EASY CHAIRS, RATTAN CHAIRS, IRON and BRASS MOUNTED BEDSTEADS, MATTRESSES, GLASS and CROCKERY-WARE, CUTLERY, COOKING STOVES and UTENSILS, PICTURES, ORNAMENTS, CLOCKS, BATH-ROOM REQUISITES, &c., &c.

Also for Sundry Accounts.

A QUANTITY OF NEW and SECOND-HAND CABINET FURNITURE.

On View from Monday.

SALE TERMS:—As customary.

A. E. SKEELS & Co., Auctioneers & Valuers.

## Insurances.

THE STANDARD ENDOWMENT ASSURANCE.

1. AMONG THE MANY ADVANTAGES of this form of Assurance, the following may be mentioned:—

(a)—It secures an immediate Provision for wife and family or other relatives in event of early death.

(b)—It provides a Fund for Retirement.

(c)—It supplies an excellent Investment for the regular accumulation of small fixed sums of money.

(d)—The Surrender and loan values are larger than under ordinary Policies.

2. AFTER THE POLICY HAS BEEN THREE YEARS IN FORCE—should the Policy-holder wish to discontinue future payments—he will be entitled to receive, on application, a FREE PAID-UP POLICY for a proportionate amount of the Sum Assured, as explained in the Prospectus.

Full particulars on application, DODWELL, CARILL & Co., Agents.

STANDARD LIFE OFFICE.

Hongkong, 8th August, 1893. [747]

SOUTH BRITISH FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW ZEALAND.

THE Undersigned are prepared to accept FIRE and MARINE INSURANCES on favourable terms.

Current rates, and a guaranteed Bonus equal to that paid by the local Offices.

S. J. DAVID & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, 1st November, 1893. [415]

NOTICE.

THE MAN ON INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED

CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED.....£1,000,000

The above Company is prepared to accept MARINE RISKS at CURRENT RATES on GOODS, &c. Policies granted to all Parts of the world payable at any of its Agencies.

HEAD OFFICE, No. 2, QUEEN'S ROAD WEST.

Hongkong, 24th November, 1893. [180]

GENERAL NOTICE.

THE ON TAI INSURANCE COMPANY, (LIMITED).

CAPITAL TAELS 600,000.....\$833,333.33

EQUAL TO.....\$318,000.00

RESERVE FUND.....\$318,000.00

BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

LEE SING, Esq. LO YUK MOON, Esq.

LOU TAO SHUN, Esq.

MANAGER.—HO AMEL

MARINE RISKS on GOODS, &c., taken at CURRENT RATES, to all parts of the World.

HEAD OFFICE, 8 & 9, PRAYA WEST.

Hongkong, 19th November, 1893. [974]

## Intimations.

NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that I, who have hitherto been known as ISAAC EZRA OBADAYA, will from to-day adopt and be known under my proper family name of ISAAC EZRA ELLIS.

ISAAC EZRA ELLIS.

Hongkong, 9th March, 1894. [338]

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

ON and after the 14th instant, until further notice, the WATER SUPPLY will be CUT OFF each day between the hours of 9 P.M. and 5 A.M.

By Command, G. T. M. O'BRIEN, Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 6th March, 1894. [325]

THE STRAITS INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that an INTERIM DIVIDEND at the rate of FIVE PER CENT. per Annum, has been DECLARED by the Directors of the above Company on the Underwriting Account for 1893, and will be PAYABLE at SINGAPORE on 2nd April, 1894. The TRANSFER BOOKS will be CLOSED from 23rd March to 2nd April, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Directors, W. MACBEAN, Agent.

Hongkong, 3rd March, 1894. [330]

NOTICE TO TOBACCO PLANTERS AND OTHERS.

THE NEW CENTRAL BORNEO COMPANY, LIMITED, being Owners of a large quantity of Land in North Borneo, which has been especially selected for PLANTING TOBACCO, SUGAR and COFFEE, are willing to SELL LEASES, free of rent for 999 years, of said Lands in blocks of about 5,000 acres, or they will grant Leases of the same for 21 years in blocks of 1,000 acres.

It is believed that the best Crops and the best prices for same have been obtained for Tobacco grown in the Kinabatangan District, immediately adjoining a large block of this Company's land.

For further particulars, application should be made to the Company's Agents.

Messrs. BOUSTEAD & Co., Singapore.

## Intimations.

CENTRAL HOTEL, SHANGHAI.

Electric Lighting throughout the Premises.

Telegraphic Address:—“CENTRAL, SHANGHAI.”

THIS long-established SELECT Family Hotel, situated on the Bund, facing the river in the centre of the Settlements, is now fitted with the latest modern improvements, including Bath and Dressing Rooms ATTACHED to Suites and Single Rooms, with hot and cold water laid on, DOUCHE, SHOWER, SPRAYS, etc., and heated to a comfortable temperature during winter.

COMMODOUS RECEPTION ROOM FOR VISITORS.

SEPARATE ROOMS FOR PRIVATE DINNER PARTIES, &c.

An Assistant attends on Passengers by Mail Steamers.

N.B.—Special reduced charges may be arranged for on application to the Manager.

F. E. REILLY, PROPRIETOR.

KELLY & WALSH, LD.

NOW READY,

TUESDAY, 6th MARCH.

PRICE ONE DOLLAR.

DOLLAR AND STERLING

EXCHANGE TABLES

FROM 1s. 9d. TO 1s. 11½d.

FORMING A SUPPLEMENT TO OUR PREVIOUS EXCHANGE TABLES.

Hongkong, 5th March, 1894. [6]

W. BREWER.

HAS JUST RECEIVED

THE ART OF DRAWN WORK.

Practical Engineer's Pocket Diary, 1894.

Our Ocean Railways.

Churchill's Men, Mines and Animals, South Africa.

An Indian Eye on English Life.

Hunting American Big Game.

Price's Arctic Ocean to Yellow Sea.

Round the Works of Our Great Railways.

The Heavenly Twins.

Montezuma's Daughter, by Rider Haggard.

Engineering Drawing and Design.

W. BREWER, UNDER HONGKONG HOTEL, QUEEN'S ROAD.

Hongkong, 1st March, 1894. [40]

THE HONGKONG HOTEL.

TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS, “Kremlin”—A. B. C. Code.—TELEPHONE, No. 32.

PROPRIETORS.....THE HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE HONGKONG HOTEL—the most commodious and best appointed Hotel in the Far East, affords unequalled accommodation to travellers and others. It is situated in the centre of the town, opposite the General Post Office and the Hongkong Club, adjacent to Pedder's Wharf (the principal landing stage of the Colony) and in close proximity to the Banks and Shipping Offices.

The HOTEL STEAM LAUNCH conveys passengers and baggage to and from all Mail Steamers.

THE TABLE D'HOÛTE, at separate tables, is supplied with every delicacy, the cuisine being under experienced supervision.

THE BED-ROOMS, with adjoining Bath-rooms, are lofty and well ventilated, open on to spacious Verandahs, are lighted by gas and fitted throughout with electric communications.

The Reading, Writing and Smoking Rooms, Ladies' Drawing Rooms, the new Bar and public BILLIARD ROOMS (Six English and American Tables) are fitted with every convenience.

THE WINES & SPIRITS are selected by an Expert and the BEST BRANDS only are supplied.

HYDRAULIC ASCENDING ROOMS of the latest and most approved type convey passengers and baggage from the Entrance Hall to each of the five floors above.

NIGHT PORTERS and WATCHMEN are continually on duty.

R. TUCKER, Manager. [329]

DAWSON'S PERFECTION OLD SCOTCH WHISKY.

ALLISTON & CO., SOLE AGENTS, Hongkong and the Far East.

88, Queen's Road Central.

Hongkong, 11th December, 1893. [41]

LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.

GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS.

SHIPS' STORES.

WINE, SPIRITS, STOUT, ALE, LIQUEURS.

TEACHER'S “HIGHLAND CREAM” WHISKY.

NAPIER JOHNSTON'S HIGHLAND WHISKY.

ADET SEWARD & Co.'s BORDEAUX WINES.

HENRY THOMSON & Co.'s and JAMESON'S IRISH WHISKIES.

COATES' PLYMOUTH GIN.

HOBOKEN DE BIE & Co.'s HOLLANDS.

VERMOUTH, RUM, GINGER WINE, CHERRY BRANDY.

CIGARS and TOBACCO.

## Intimations.

HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE.

THE HALF-YEARLY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS, advertised for THURSDAY 8th instant, is POSTPONED until THURSDAY, the 11th instant, at NOON.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED until 17th instant.

By Order of the Board, R. LYALL, Secretary.

Hongkong, 6th March, 1894. [317]

THE CHINA AND MANILA STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE ELEVENTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the COMPANY'S OFFICE, Praya Central, on SATURDAY, 17th March, at NOON, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Managers, declaring a Dividend, and electing a Consulting Committee and Auditors.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 2nd to 17th March, both days inclusive.

SHEWAN & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, 27th February, 1894. [324]

THE HONGKONG ROPE MANUFACTURING COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE TENTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the OFFICE of the COMPANY, Praya Central, on SATURDAY, 17th March, at 12.30 P.M., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Managers, declaring a Dividend, and electing a Consulting Committee and Auditors.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 2nd to the 17th March, both days inclusive.

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Hongkong, 27th February, 1894. [325]

BALMORAL GOLD MINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE following notice has been issued to SHAREHOLDERS and HOLDERS of SHARES whose transfers have not been registered, and who are requested to send same in at once for registration along with application for Scrip in the New Company:—

THE BALMORAL GOLD MINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE NEW BALMORAL GOLD MINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

1, DUNDRELL STREET, Hongkong, 14th February, 1894.

SIR,—At the General Meeting of THE BALMORAL GOLD MINING COMPANY, LIMITED, in Liquidation, held on the 6th and 22nd days of January, 1894, the following Special Resolutions were duly passed and confirmed respectively:—

1.—That the Liquidator be, and he is hereby authorised and directed to sell and transfer the whole of the Company's business and property to a New Company, to be incorporated with limited liability under the Companies' Ordinances, 1865 to 1891, and to be named the “NEW BALMORAL GOLD MINING COMPANY, LIMITED,” with a Capital of £150,000, divided into 50,000 Shares of £3 each, with the usual power to increase and reduce the same.

2.—That the draft Contract for sale submitted to this Meeting, and expressed to be made between this Company and its Liquidator of the one part, and the New Balmoral Gold Mining Company, Limited, of the other part, be, and the same is hereby approved, and that the said Liquidator be, and he is hereby authorised, pursuant to Section 149 of the Companies' Ordinance, 1865, to enter into a Contract for the sale and transfer of this Company's business and property to the said new Company (when incorporated) for the considerations and upon the terms set forth in the said draft, and to carry the same into effect with such (if any) modifications as he may think expedient.

I have to inform you that, in conformity with the above Special Resolutions and the Agreement to which it refers, “The New Balmoral Gold Mining Company, Limited,” has been incorporated under the Companies' Ordinances, Hongkong, with a Capital of £150,000, divided into 50,000 Ordinary Shares of £3 each, and that the Agreement (referred to in the second of such Resolutions) has been executed.

Your holding in “The Balmoral Gold Mining Company, Limited,” being.....Ordinary Shares and.....Preference Shares you are under the Agreement entitled to, and I hereby offer you, in respect of the said Ordinary Shares, an allotment in “The New Balmoral Gold Mining Company, Limited,” of the same number of Ordinary Shares of £3 each with £3 credited as paid up on each, and in respect of each of the said Preference Shares an allotment in “The New Balmoral Gold Mining Company, Limited,” of two Ordinary Shares of £3 each with £3 credited as paid up on each.

In order to obtain an allotment of the shares to which you are entitled, or any smaller amount, you must fill up and sign the enclosed application letter and then forward the same, together with the certificates for the shares held by you in “The Balmoral Gold Mining Company, Limited,” to me at my Office, No. 1, Duddell Street, Hongkong, on or before the 14th day of March, 1894, together with a payment of FIFTY CENTS per Share on the number of shares applied for.

If no application as above mentioned is received from you on or before the 14th day of March, 1894, or so far as any application may not extend, you will be deemed to have refused an allotment of Shares in “The New Balmoral Gold Mining Company, Limited,” to which you are entitled under the said Special Resolutions and Agreement, and you will be excluded from an allotment accordingly. If any shares are unapplied for by you, it will be my duty under the said Agreement, to endeavour to sell them to such persons and for such price as I may think fit.

Forms of Application can be obtained at the Office of the Company, No. 1, Duddell Street, Hongkong.

CARL GEORGE, Liquidator of “THE BALMORAL GOLD MINING CO., LD.”

Hongkong, 14th February, 1894. [326]

## Shipping.

STEAMERS.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW.

THE Company's Steamship

“FOKIEN,” Captain Davis, will be despatched for the above Port TO-MORROW, the 11th instant, at Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LARPAIK & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, 10th March, 1894. [126]

“WARRACK” LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR NEW YORK, VIA SUEZ CANAL.

THE Steamship

“ARGVILL,” Captain J. C. Williamson, R.N.R., will be despatched for the above Ports on WEDNESDAY, the 14th instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL, CARILL & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, 3rd March, 1894. [106]

AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

UNDER MAIL CONTRACT WITH THE AUSTRIAN GOVERNMENT.

STEAM TO SHANGHAI AND KOBE.

THE Company's Steamship

“MARIA VALERIA,” Captain G. Costanza, will leave for the above places on or about FRIDAY, the 16th instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to SANDER & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, 9th March, 1894. [327]

“SHELL” LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR LONDON, BREMEN AND HAMBURG.

THE Steamship

“SPONDILUS,” Captain N. Hocken, will be despatched for the above Ports on or about the 16th March.

For Freight or Passage, apply to SHEWAN & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, 8th March, 1894. [324]

## Consignees.



The *Hyogo News* learns that the Yokohama curio-merchants have, decided in general meeting to enforce fines against any of their fellow doing business with the boycotted firm of Samuel, Samuel, & Co. of from 5 yen to 10 yen. The penalties will be doubled for a second offence. Informers can claim half the amount levied. Watchmen are to be mounted over the Company's premises.

There came a burst of thunder sound,  
The Queen, oh where was she?  
Ask of the winds, that whiskers found  
On Blount and Grover C,  
With throne and crown and sceptre, too,  
That long had awayed by night,  
The Queen and all her vicious crew  
Were huddled near of sight.

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Mr. A. Johnson seconded the motion, which was carried unanimously.

**TELEPHONE MESSAGES.**

"Success to the Beallor Public School."  
"God save the Queen."  
"Long life and happiness to the Governor and his family."  
"Best wishes to the Head Mistress," Mrs. Bateman.

“How much is like the plinking of a morn-  
 When chirps on the placid lake are born—  
 And when her voice out-topped sweet and clear  
 The music of the spheres we seem to hear.”

Alcohol was first invented and used, so a  
 scientist says, to st in the cheeks of the ladies of  
 100,000 years ago. It is strange, but it still  
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## The Share Market.

LATEST QUOTATIONS.	
Hongkong and Shanghai Bank—93 per cent. prem., sellers.	
The National Bank of China, Ltd.—on £8.00 paid up—\$35, sellers.	
The National Bank of China, Ltd.—Founders shares, nominal.	
The Bank of China, Japan & the Straits, Ltd.—nominal.	
The Bank of China, Japan & the Straits, Ltd.—Founders shares, nominal.	
Chinese Imperial Loan of 1883 B—2 per cent. premium, sellers.	
Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 C—2 per cent. premium, buyers.	
Chinese Imperial Loan of 1886 E—14 per cent. premium.	
Union Insurance Society of Canton—\$100 per share, sales and buyers.	
China Traders' Insurance Company—\$57 per share, sales and buyers.	
North China Insurance—Tia. 165 per share, buyers.	
Canton Insurance Company, Limited—\$134 per share, sellers.	
Yangtze Insurance Association—\$67, buyers.	
On Tai Insurance Company, Limited—Tia. 15 per share.	
Hongkong Fire Insurance Company—\$205 per share, sales and sellers.	
China Fire Insurance Company—\$79 per share, sales and sellers.	
Hongkong, Canton, and Macao Steamboat Co.—\$27 per share, sales and buyers.	
China and Manila Steam Ship Company—\$55 sales and buyers.	
Indo-China Steam Navigation Company, Limited—45 per cent. discount, sales and buyers.	
Douglas Steamship Company—\$43, sellers.	
Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Company—77 per cent. premium, sales and sellers.	
Geo. Fenwick & Co., Limited—\$23 per share, sales and buyers.	
Hongkong Hotel Company—\$8 per share, sales.	
Hongkong Hotel Co.'s Six per cent. Debentures—\$4 per share, sales.	
The Austin Arms Hotel and Building Company, Limited—\$4 per share, sales.	
The Shamen Hotel Co., Limited—\$4 per share, sales.	
Punjom Mining Co.—\$7 per share, sales and sellers.	
The Raub Gold Mining Co., Limited—\$42 per share, sales and buyers.	
The Belmont Gold Mining Co., Limited—\$1.60 per share, sellers.	
Société Française des Charbonnages du Tonkin—\$80 per share, sales and sellers.	
The Jebleu Mining and Trading Co., Limited—\$6.40, sales and buyers.	
London and Pacific Petroleum Co., Ltd.—\$18 per share, sales and buyers.	
China Sugar Refining Company, Limited—\$180 per share, sales and buyers.	
Luxon Sugar Refining Company, Limited—\$371 sales and buyers.	
A. S. Watson & Co., Limited—\$92, sales and sellers.	
Dakin, Cruickshank & Co., Limited—\$1 per share, sales and buyers.	
Hongkong Dairy Farm Co., Limited—\$7 per share, sales and sellers.	
The Kowloon Land Investment Co., Limited—\$8 per share, sales and sellers.	
The Hongkong Land Investment Co., Limited—\$52, sales and sellers.	
The West Point Buildings Co., Limited—\$18 per share, buyers.	
H. G. Brown & Co., Limited—\$9 per share, sales and sellers.	
Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company—\$32 per share, sales and sellers.	
Hongkong Rope Manufacturing Company, Limited—\$68 per share, buyers.	
Hongkong Gas Company—\$120 per share, buyers.	
Hongkong Ice Company—\$79 per share, buyers.	
Hongkong and China Bakery Company, Limited—\$65 per share, sellers.	
The Hongkong Brick and Cement Co., Limited—\$5 per share, sales and buyers.	
The Green Island Cement Co.—\$78, sales and buyers.	
The Hongkong Electric Light Co., Limited—\$44, sales and buyers.	
The Hongkong Steam Laundry Co., Limited—\$25 per share, nominal.	
The Hongkong High-Level Tramway Co., Limited—\$62 1/2, buyers.	

## EXCHANGE.

On LONDON—Bank, T. T. .... 1/11	
Bank Bills, on demand ..... 1/11	
Bank Bills, at 4 months' sight ..... 2/1	
Credits at 4 months' sight ..... 2/2	
Documentary Bills, at 4 months' sight ..... 2/8	
On PARIS—	
Bank Bills, on demand ..... 2/47	
Credits, at 4 months' sight ..... 2/55	
On INDIA—	
T. T. .... 16 1/2	
On Demand ..... 16 1/2	
On SHANGHAI—	
Bank, T. T. .... 72	
Private, 30 days' sight ..... 73	

## VISITORS AT THE HONGKONG HOTEL.

Mr. J. de Rege Barros.	Mr. W. Oothout.
Capt. Barr, R.N.	Miss Oothout.
Mr. H. Burton.	Miss Emily Oothout.
Miss Chamney.	Miss Helen Oothout.
Dr. J. R. P. Cramer.	Mr. J. L. Orr.
Mr. F. B. Deacon.	Miss Orr.
Mr. & Mrs. Dickson.	Mr. J. Osborne.
Mr. W. A. Duff.	Mr. W. Parfitt.
Mr. A. J. Easton.	Mr. C. V. A. Peel.
Mr. G. Evelyn.	Mr. & Mrs. H. J. Pearce.
Mr. & Mrs. E. and son.	Mr. F. von der Pfordten.
Mr. G. F. Fowle.	Miss von der Pfordten.
Hon. and Mrs. Foster.	Mr. & Mrs. G. H. Foster.
Mr. A. Frie.	Mr. Phillips.
Mr. W. N. Hallgarten.	Mr. W. Rentsch.
Mr. M. Jones.	Mr. E. Rous.
Mr. J. Kinghorn.	Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Samsom.
Dr. J. J. Kibridge.	Misses Scholfield.
Captain Kirby, R.N.	Mr. F. K. Shean.
Mr. J. Kikwood.	Mr. & Mrs. C. Stoddart.
Mr. and Mrs. H. Kitts.	Mr. F. Tait.
Baron and Baroness de Ladebat.	Mr. L. E. Thomson.
Mr. R. L. Lall.	Mr. L. W. Thomson.
Mr. J. McWilliams.	Mr. L. W. Thomson.
Dr. J. R. Moss.	Mr. A. W. Walker.
Mr. T. Mitchell.	Mr. W. Whitley.
Mr. & Mrs. Morel and child.	Mr. E. Widner.
Mr. J. M. Morton.	Mr. N. Wong.
Mr. T. Murray.	Capt. & Mrs. Wrottesley.

## VISITORS AND RESIDENTS AT THE PEAK HOTEL.

Mr. & Mrs. G. Gimble.	Mr. J. M. Murray.
Capt. and Mrs. Hunt.	Mr. R. K. Shaw.
Mr. MacLean.	Mr. A. Findlay-Smith.
Mr. Medhurst.	Mr. Stokes.
Capt. and Mrs. Moore.	Capt. & Mrs. Weiman.
Mr. J. Chaudet.	

## HONGKONG TEMPERATURE.

(From Messrs. Geo. Falconer & Co.'s Register.)	To-day.	10 days.
Barometer—5 a.m.	30.15	30.15
Barometer—4 p.m.	30.15	30.15
Thermometer—5 a.m.	64	64
Thermometer—4 p.m.	64	64
Thermometer—5 a.m. (Wet bulb)	64	64
Thermometer—4 p.m. (Wet bulb)	64	64
Thermometer—5 a.m. (Wet bulb)	64	64
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## MAILS EXPECTED.

## THE ENGLISH MAIL.

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamer *Rohilla*, with the outward English mail, left Singapore on the 5th instant at 5 p.m., and may be expected here on the 11th.

## THE AMERICAN MAIL.

The P. M. S. S. Co.'s steamer *Perry*, with mails, &c., from San Francisco, left Yokohama on the 8th instant at noon, and may be expected here on the 14th.

The O. & O. S. S. Co.'s steamer *Oswego*, with mails, &c., left San Francisco for this port, via Honolulu and Yokohama, on the 27th ultimo.

The P. M. S. S. Co.'s steamer *City of Rio de Janeiro*, with mails, &c., left San Francisco for this port, via Yokohama, on the 8th instant.

## THE CANADIAN MAIL.

The Canadian Pacific Railway Co.'s steamer *Empress of China* left Vancouver on the 5th instant for Yokohama, Kobe, Nagasaki, Shanghai and Hongkong.

## STEAMERS EXPECTED.

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamer *Aden* left Singapore on the 7th instant, and may be expected here on the 13th.

The Austrian Lloyd's S. N. Co.'s steamer *Maria Valeria* left Singapore on the 9th instant, and may be expected here on the 16th.

## Shipping.

## ARRIVALS.

MARTHA DAVIS, American bark, 832, A. L. Soule, 9th March—Honolulu 4th February, Ballast—Shewan & Co.

BERNARD, British steamer, 1,456, E. Le Bouteiller, 9th March—Singapore 6th March, Rice—Gibb, Livingston & Co.

N. B. German steamer, 3,300, F. G. Pfaff, 9th March—Singapore 3rd March, General—Siemens & Co.

DONAR, German steamer, 1,201, B. Grundmann, 9th March—Cheribon 27th Feb., Sugar—Lauts, Wegener & Co.

ISIR, British steamer, 1,415, W. Burgoyne, 9th March—Molli 4th March, Coals—Lee King.

ACTIV, Danish steamer, 355, H. Hygom, 10th March—Pakhoi 7th Feb., and Holhow 9th, General—Arnold, Kueberg & Co.

FORMOSA, British steamer, 820, T. Hall, 13th March—Tamsui 6th March, Amoy 7th, and Swatow 9th, General—D. Lapralik & Co.

CHOWANG, British steamer, 1,194, R. C. D. Bradley, 10th March—Canton 10th March, General—Jardine, Matheson & Co.

KWELIN, British steamer, 1,087, J. B. Harris, 10th March—Canton 10th March, General—Butterfield & Swire.

KWANGLOO, Chinese steamer, 1,504, Lincoln, 10th March—Canton 10th March, General—C. M. S. N. Co.

NANCHANG, British steamer, 1,062, Finlayson, 10th March—Swatow 9th March, General—Butterfield & Swire.

HICCO MARU, Japanese steamer, 881, F. S. Barstow, 10th March—Manila 7th March, General—Nippon Yusen Kaisha.

SHANGHAI, British steamer, 2,044, E. Street, 10th March—Shanghai 6th March, General—P. & O. S. N. Co.

TOYO MARU, Japanese steamer, 1,552, G. J. Edwards, 10th March—Salmon 6th March, Grain—Dodwell, Carill & Co.

CLEARANCES AT THE HARBOUR OFFICE.

Kwelin, British steamer, for Taiwan.

The British steamship *Benlary* reports that she left Saigon on the 6th instant, and had fine weather with light south-west winds until noon on the 6th; then strong north-east winds and high sea to port.

The British steamship *Ier* reports that she left Molli on the 4th instant, and had moderate north-west winds to Tuenan Island, with rain and thick weather to Breaker Point; thence had fresh north-west wind to arrival.

## Post Office.

A MAIL WILL CLOSE—For Canton—Per *Powen* to-morrow, the 11th instant, at 9 a.m.

For Fuzhou and Hainan—Per *Hongkong* to-morrow, the 11th instant, at 9 a.m.

For Saigon—Per *Mackay* to-morrow, the 11th instant, at 9 a.m.

For Amoy and Tamsui—Per *Formosa* on Monday, the 12th instant, at 11.30 a.m.

For Cheloo and Newchwang—Per *Amoy* on Monday, the 12th instant, at 4.30 p.m.

For Swatow and Dzungkok—Per *Deuawongse* on Tuesday, the 13th instant, at 8.30 a.m.

For Swatow, Amoy, and Taiwan—Per *Taipei* on Tuesday, the 13th instant, at 11.30 a.m.

For Yokohama and Kobe—Per *Niebo* on Tuesday, the 13th instant, at 3.30 p.m.

For Amoy and Manila—Per *Yamaguchi* on Wednesday, the 14th instant, at 4.30 p.m.

For Nagasaki, Kobe, Yokohama, and San Francisco—Per *Belge* on Wednesday, the 14th instant, at 5 p.m.

For Europe, &c., India, &c. Bombay—Per *Revenna* on Thursday, the 15th instant, at 11 a.m.

For Singapore, Samarang, and Sourabaya—Per *Hongkong* on Thursday, the 15th instant, at 3.30 p.m.

For Singapore—Per *Lawang* on Friday, the 16th instant, at 3.30 p.m.

For Nagasaki, Kobe, and Yokohama—Per *Amoy* on Friday, the 16th instant, at 5 p.m.

For Kobe, Yokohama, Victoria, and Tacoma—Per *Mogul* on Tuesday, the 20th instant, at 11.30 a.m.

For Shanghai, Nagasaki, Kobe, Yokohama, Victoria, and Vancouver, B.C.—Per *Empress of Japan* on Wednesday, the 21st instant, at 11.30 a.m.

## SHIPPING IN HONGKONG.

AMCOY, German steamer, 653, W. Walf, 6th March—Manila 2nd March, Rice—Ed. Schellhass & Co.

ASK, Danish steamer, 592, Rowbeck, 1st March—Halpung 27th Feb., and Holhow 28th Feb., General—A. R. Marty.

BELOIT, British steamer, 2,695, Wm. H. Walker, 6th March—San Francisco 5th Feb., and Yokohama 1st March, Mails and General—O. & O. S. S. Co.

CHELYDRA, British steamer, 1,574, R. Cass, 7th March—Calcutta 17th Feb., and Singapore 1st March, General—Jardine, Matheson & Co.

DEWAWONGSE, British str., 1,057, R. Unsworth, 7th March—Bangkok 27th Feb., and Koh Chang 1st March, Rice and General—Butterfield & Swire.

DYKOTER, German steamer, 1,195, W. A. Dine, 7th March—Bangkok 27th Feb., and Koh Chang 1st March, Rice and General—Butterfield & Swire.

ELAX, British steamer, 2,612, Daniel, 9th March—Batavia, and Singapore 3rd March, Oil—Arnold, Kueberg & Co.

EMPRESS OF JAPAN, British steamer, 5,904, Geo. A. Lee, 28th Feb.—Vancouver 5th Feb., Yokohama 20th, Kobe 21st, Nagasaki 22nd, and Shanghai 25th, General—C. P. Railway Co.

ETHIOPE, British steamer, 1,905, F. Wankel, 8th March—Salmon 4th March, Rice—Mitsui Bussan Kaisha.

FAME, British steamer, 1,117—Hongkong Government tender.

FORNIE, British steamer, 508, W. Davis, 9th March—Swatow 8th March, General—D. Lapralik & Co.

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Hongkong, 14th February, 1894.

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Victoria.....	Tuesday .....	April 10th.
Tacoma.....	Tuesday .....	May 5th.

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